

AFFILIATED SOCIETIES

THE INLAND BIRD BANDING ASSOCIATION held no meeting in 1944, and the officers of the past year continue in office. As a cooperative project in 1944, the Association collected banding data on the Robin. Results of the study were published in the June, August, and October issues of the *Inland News*; 15,000 banded Robins were represented in the compilations.

The Association has continued during the year to distribute literature on banding to public schools. Between August 1940 and January 1944 such literature was sent in response to 225 requests from 37 states.

An exchange of news letters with the Eastern Bird Banding Association has proved of benefit to both organizations. All the members of each association receive both news letters, and thus a helpful exchange of ideas and information is maintained.—O. A. STEVENS, *Secretary*.

THE VIRGINIA SOCIETY OF ORNITHOLOGY found it impossible, because of war-time conditions, to hold an annual meeting in 1944. However, individual members and local groups have carried on their activities and observations, and *The Raven* has continued to appear with reports on new or rare bird visitors, census lists, and other notes. During the past year *The Raven* published "The Birds of Rockbridge County," an extended study by J. J. Murray.—FLORENCE S. HAGUE, *Secretary*.

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REPORT OF THE TREASURER FOR 1944

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| Balance as shown by last report, dated Dec. 31, 1943 ...\$ | 593.31 | |
| <i>Receipts</i> , Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1944 | | |
| Dues: | | |
| Associate | 1288.35 | |
| Active | 1178.85 | |
| Sustaining | 275.65 | |
| Subscriptions to <i>The Wilson Bulletin</i> | 223.65 | |
| Sale of back numbers of <i>The Wilson Bulletin</i> | 167.00 | |
| Income from Endowment Fund | 71.87 | |
| Contribution for the printing of the colored plate | 120.13 | |
| Contributions and miscellaneous receipts | 18.10 | |
| Total receipts | | \$3936.91 |
| <i>Disbursements</i> | | |
| <i>The Wilson Bulletin</i> : printing, engraving, mailing | \$ 1920.75 | |
| Editor's expense: postage, mailing, secretarial aid | 162.87 | |
| Secretary's expense: stationery, postage, clerical aid | 126.21 | |
| Treasurer's expense: stationery, postage, printing, express charges | 71.37 | |
| Membership Committee expense: postage, printing..... | 68.81 | |
| Bank charges and foreign exchange | 20.69 | |
| Bad checks returned | 27.00 | |
| Reprints | 7.21 | |
| Incorporation fee | 10.00 | |
| Transferred to Endowment Fund account | 1000.00 | |
| Total disbursements | | \$3414.91 |
| Balance on hand in Ohio National Bank, Columbus | | \$ 522.00 |